

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Jill Giles Komar et. al Appl. No. : 09/920,262

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Art Unit : 1646

Examiner : MERTZ, PREMA MARIA

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT/REPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action/Restriction Requirement of June 30, 2003, for which a three month extension of time and fee authorization is filed herewith, please amend the aboveidentified Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.